GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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DEVELOPMENT OF VISHAKHAPATNAM AIRPORT
BODAKUNTI VENKATESHWARLU

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to develop Vishakhapatnam Airport;

(b) if so, the allocation made therefor; and

(c) by when the runway is likely to be extended?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

(a), (b) & (c):- Yes, Sir. Government has approved the proposal for development of Vishakhapatnam airport jointly by the Ministry of Defence, Airports Authority of India and the State Government of Andhra Pradesh at an estimated costof Rs. 191.52 crores. Action for development work has already been initiated and is expected to be completed within three years from the date of award of work.